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From: Smith, Judy

Sent:Friday, May 22, 2015 5:13 PMTo:Franklin, Richard; Stanfield, BrooksSubject:Fwd: John Day Vapor Response

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Date: May 22, 2015 at 5:06:56 PM PDT **To:** <collette.m.young@state.or.us>

Cc: < smith.judy@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: John Day Vapor Response

That looks great. Thank you.

John

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YOUNG Collette M <collette.m.young@state.or.us> writes:

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[Marker]Hi Judy and John,

Below is the briefest brief I wrote to Oregon Health Authority leadership.→ I wanted you to have the phone numbers in case you need them.

Thanks,

Collette

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EPA lead - Judy Smith 503-545-2540

OPHD on call epi - Emily Fisher - 971-673-1111

OPHD toxicologist → Dave Ferrer- 971-673-0971

OPHD PIO → Jonathan Modie 971-246-9139

OPHD manager → Collette Young 541-760-8355

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Summary

John Day residents from 1 neighborhood have experienced indoor and outdoor odor and health symptoms since February.→ A consultant was hired to investigate and a summary report is at → [

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US]http://www.cityofjohnday.com/LinkClick.aspx?fileticket=g_CkU2DqNio%3d&tabid=5 080&mid=10533&language=en-US.→ The incident was reported to the Oregon

Emergency Response System for cross agency coordination.→ Early reports suggest benzene. Assessment EPA is the lead agency investigating an unpleasant odor with associated health symptoms in John Day. → The EPA team will be performing a door-to door survey of households and businesses in the area over the weekend.→ Surveillance OPHD is monitoring emergency department visits and has offered support to EPA investigation. → Oregon DEQ is integral to response. Communications → → → → → → → → EPA will update their website on the response as information becomes available [http://www.epaosc.org/johnday]http://www.epaosc.org/johnday. → → → → → → → EPA is developing FAQ and listing EPA and LHD contacts for consumer questions. → → → → → → → → EPA will share talking points and OPHD will identify a spokesperson as more information about odors becomes available.